



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2343-02000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Atsushi YAGISHITA et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2891
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Application No.: 10/810,837	)	Examiner: Menz, Douglas M.
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Filed: March 29, 2004	)	Confirmation No.: 9973
	)	
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND	)	<b>Mail Stop RCE</b>
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING	)	
THE SAME	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and fulfills the request for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action mailed September 11, 2006, with a period for response extending through December 11, 2006. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.